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WE SEND A FLEET TO BEIRUT.

ACTION ON THE MURDER OF W. C. MAGELSSEN, OUR VICE-CONSUL.

Strong Demand for Redress to Be Made t pon the Sultan-Delay Will Not Be Tolerated by This Government--President Telegraphs Orders to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.-A cablegram reporting the assassination of United States Vice-Consul and Deputy Consul William C. Magelssen at Beirut, Syria, was received at the State Department this morning from United States Minister Leishman at Constantinople. Within an hour after the receipt of the despatch instructions were sent to Minister Leishman to use most vigorous measures to impress the Sultan with the gravity of the case. He was told that he should demand the immediate apprehension and conviction of the murderer. From the tone of his instructions, it is evident that this Government does not propose to tolerate any delay by the Turkish authorities, but will, if necessary, take drastic measures to arouse Turkey to a full realization of the seriousness of the

The despatch from Minister Leishman was forwarded to the President and a copy was also sent to the Bureau of Navigation of the Navy Department. This evening orders came from the President, directing that Admiral Cotton's fleet be ordered to Beirut at once.

Immediately upon receipt of the President's instructions to-night, Acting Secretary of the Navy Darling cabled to Rear-Admiral Cotton, commanding the European squadron, now at Nice, to proceed at once to Beirut. Meanwhile Rear Admiral Cotton had replied to the Department's instructions of this morning, directing him to be in readiness to proceed to Turkish waters.

His reply was to the effect that the Brooklyn had seven days' supply of coal and the San Francisco six and a half days' supply and that the Machias was at Genoa coaling. These vessels compose the European squadron and are the only ones available to meet the emergency that has arisen. As it will require six days' sailing to reach Beirut it is probable that a little time will be required for coaling the squad-

ron before the start can be made. According to Minister Leishman's despatch news of the assassination came from United States Consul Ravndal at Beirut, who simply reported that Mr. Magelssen was assassinated on Sunday night while riding in a carriage and that his murderer was unknown. Minister Leishman added that he had directed that an inquiry be made to secure additional information and had made such representation to the Porte as be could under the circumstances. It was evident that he had asked that the local authorities in Beirut be ordered to give immediate attention to the affair, for the purpose of discovering the murderer, and that, if apprehended, he should be promptly

Reinst where the assessination occurred, is on the eastern shore of the Mediother Turkey, and without any further details the authorities are unable to form an opinion whether the assassination grew out of political troubles. Though vigorous measures have been determined upon, the case is not considered parallel with that of the murder of the Russian Consul at Monastir, who was killed by a soldier in the Turkish Army, which justified Russia in making an imperative demand upon the Sultan in the way of indemnity apology and certain reforms.

Another complaint in regard to the hostile attitude of Turkey toward Americans came to the State Department this afternoon in a te egram from the American Board of Foreign Missions of Boston, which said that information had been received by the board of an attempt to burn the Euphrates College buildings at Harpoot, and the conditions there appear increasingly critical. It was decided this afternoon not to forward this information to Minister Leishman, at Constantinople, as it is believed that he has already received a complaint from Harpoot and will probably notify the State Department to-morrow morning in regard to the situation in that part of Turkey.

Announcement of the murder of Mr Magelesen was sent this afternoon to Sena Knute Nelson of Minnesota, who had indersed the young man's application for appointment. Magels on was born in 1872 Observatory Now Threatened by the Flow at Bratsburg, Fillmore county, Minn. and was the son of a Lutheran minister He attended Luther College at Decorah a., and for five years was clerk of the consulate at Beirut, with Consul Rayndal, who is his brother-in-law. He was at one time employed on a newspaper in Sioux Falls,

A cablegram was received late to-night by Acting Secretary Loomis of the State Department from Minister Leishman at Constantinople, saying that he had visited the Turkish Foreign Office and had been informed that no advices whatever had been received from Beirut concerning the reported assassination of Vice-Consul Magelssen. The Foreign Office went even further, making the flat denial that there

was any truth in the report. Acting Secretary of the Navy Darling who was informed of the contents of the cablegram, made the comment that whether the reported murder of Vice-Consul Magelssen was true or not there would be no harm in sending the European squadron to Beirut. If Magelssen is killed the fleet will be ready to enforce the demands of this Government, and if he is not, an object lesson will have been given of the celerity with which the United States is ready to

act in such cases. Officers of the State and Navy Departments do not credit the Turkish Foreign Office with frankness in this matter and have not the slightest doubt that Magelssen has been murdered, as at first reported by Minister Leishman. They regard the sweeping denial by the Porte as merely

another instance of Turkish diplomacy. THE PRESIDENT ACTS PROMPTLY. OYSTER BAY, Aug. 27.-President Roosevelt to-night wired instructions to the Navy Department to order Rear Admiral Cotton to proceed at once with the European squadron to Beirut. The President expresses the greatest concern over the

ssassination of Vice-Consul Mageissen. He got the news from the State Depart-

Fine music and grand scenery characterize all ips by Hudson River Day Line steamers.—Adv.

the Department to keep him informed of all the details and circumstances of the care as fast as they come in. At present nothing definite is known here about the assassination and the President will not ex-

accurate information about it. The sending of Rear Admiral Cotton to Beirut is, it is announced, merely a precautionary measure. By the time he gets there the Government at Washington will, it is expected, know exactly how the Vice-Consul met his death and will have determined on a plan of action. If the Vice-Consul was murdered by some private individual or by the insurgents, this country will, it is reported here, demand that those responsible for the crime he punished by Turkey without the least delay and that indemnity be paid besides. Not even the semblance of delay on the part of the Sultan's Government will, it is thought, be tolerated. If Mr. Magelssen was killed by troops or by other agents of Turkey, then the matter would assume much more serious proportions. The President, it is said, hopes to be able to have some definite in-

press any opinion on the affair until he has

formation concerning the case to-morrow. Secretary of State Hay, it was learned here to-night, will be at Sagamore Hill tomorrow, and will consider with Mr. Roosevelt what action this Government is to take in the matter of the assassination of Vice-Consul Magelssen. The Secretary had been summoned by the President on Department business before the news of the murder reached this country, but his presence now will be doubly satisfactory to Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. Hay has been at his summer home in New England.

RUSSIA FORGIVES TURKEY.

Diplomatic Relations Resumed-Suspended After Consul Was Murdered.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Aug. 27.-Russia has reëstablished diplomatic relations with Turkey, her Ambassador, M. Zinovieff, to-day paying his first visit to the Grand Vizier and the Turkish Foreign Secretary since

the assassination of M. Rostkowsky, the Russian Consul at Monastir. It is reported that Edhem Pasha will have full direction of three divisions that are to be raised in Anatolia to reinforce the army in Macedonia, and also that Eumer Ruski Pasha, who has just been recalled from the command of the troops in Mace-

in Adrianople. Turkey continues her preparations for war. She has ordered 250 tons of smokeless powder in Germany and a great number of

rses. It is announced from Constantinople o-night that Tewfik Pasha, Minister of Foreign Affairs, has addressed a circular to all Turkish diplomatists abroad instructing them to contradict the reports of massacres and outrages, which, he says, are inventions by Bulgarians.

LONDON, Aug. 28.-The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Uskub says he is convinced that any hostile action taken by any European or Western Power against Turkey will be the signal for the immediate massacre of every Christian man, woman terranean and is about a thousand miles and child in European Turkey. He says from Constantinople, with which it is con- that the Turks are now on the verge of nected by a telegraph line. It is far removed desperation. Herein lies the danger. Let ut a rumor reach Uskub or the smaller towns that Russia has landed troops or

the mine. A despatch to the newspaper Stampa, published at Belgrade, says that during a fight at Kervan Kejin, in Macedonia, 250 bashi-bazouks, who had taken refuge in a tower, were dynamited by insurged

A despatch to the Telegraph from Constantinople says that the captain of a British steamer which arrived there Wednesday reports that he met eleven Russian warships cruising two hours from the entrance to the Bosphorus.

POPE HONORS SICK CARDINAL. Personally Presents the Red Hat to Es-

Special Cable Despatch to THE St ROME, Aug. 27.—Pope Pius has sented privately the red hat to Cardinal Herrero y Espinosa, Archbishop of Valencia, who was dangerously ill during the Conclave. He is still in a precarious con-

dition. He was carried in a sedan chair to the Pope's presence. The Cardinal was deeply touched by the exceptional honor conferred upon him and said that he would leave satisfied for Spain, where he would die happy.

VESUVIUS STILL ACTIVE.

of Lava.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN ROME, Aug. 27 .- Mount Vesuvius is still active and the torrent of lava is increasing. It now threatens the wire-rope railway and the observatory. The carabineers are trying to quell the panic among the residents of the villages near by.

JAMES CONROW DIES SUDDENLY. Former President of the Astor Bank Stricken With Heart Disease.

GREENWICH, Conn., Aug. 27.-James Conrow, who was president of the Astor Bank before it sold out to the Cotton Exchange Bank, and has since been identified with the firm of Best & Co., dropped dead last night at 9:30 o'clock at the summer residence in Greenwich, Conn., of Frederick Zittell, whom he was visiting. He had been in ill health for some time and left his city residence on Eighty-first street between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues. early in the summer with his son and daughter and had gone to South Orange, N. J., to spend the summer. He came to Greenwich yesterday to visit his friend

Mr. Zittell. After dinner last night Mr. Conrow played the piano, and then went upstairs to his room. Mr. Zittell heard him fall and ran to him. He was lying on the floor and gasping as though trying to say something. Dr. Harry Rowland, a neighbor, came in and other physicians were summoned, but Mr. Conrow lived only ten minutes. Heart disease was given as the cause of death. He was about 65 years old. The body

was taken to his New York residence to-day Including railroad fare and board at princips hotels. Pennsylvania Railroad will sell specia tickets August 31 and September 1. Consult agent

Take the Educational Sight Seeing New York Yacht. 1,000 points of interest explained by expert lecturer; 3 hours sail from foot 22d st., N. R. 10 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.-Adv.

ment early this afternoon and has ordered the Department to keep him informed of SAM PARKS PUT IN SING SING

GOES CURSING AND THREATEN-ING TO AL ADAMS'S CELL.

But in Prison All His Bravado Fades-Wife. Sebbing, Clings to Him in the Ton bs -He Had Not Expected to Go Yet, but a Stay Was Not Forthcoming.

I'm Sam Parks, I am. I'm Sam Parks, I am.
You can just say now when anybody asks about Sam Parks that he ain't afraid of nothin' they can say about him. to to Jerome all you want. I've got three lawyers smarter than he is.—From the utterances of Sam Parks.

Into Sing Sing Prison at 2:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon there slouched a big, ungainly man with pale cheeks and a faraway, lost look in his eyes. Into the clerk's office they led him.

"What's your name?" asked Clerk Westlake in a sharp tone that hardly woke the man from his walking stupor. The lawver at the big man's side touched his elbow. "Samuel J. Parks." said the man.

That is how Sam Parks, "business agent" of the Housesmiths and Bridgemen's Union, the man who ordered others right and left to stop earning a living a month or two ago and who set out to tie up the whole building industry of the greatest city on the continent to make his boasts good, went to a place where there are no strike and men have plenty of time to think it over behind steel bars.

Unless the jury's verdict convicting nim of extorting \$200 from a skylight maker to permit him to hire non-union men is upset by the courts, Sam Parks will be just Number So-and-So for at least two years and a half. The number has not been assigned to him yet. Last night he slept temporarily in the cell lately occupied by "Al" Adams, who also was, in his day,

called a king and a czar. Just after noon yesterday Deputy Sheriffs Bell and O'Keefe went to Parks in the Tombs and told him to get ready. His wife and a Mrs. Hannah were there with him. His wife became hysterical.

The preparation didn't take long. Parks

didn't say a word. For a moment there was a glitter in his eyes; then, as his wife fell, sobbing, into his arms, the faraway look that had been noticed in his eyes when his trial was going on and the evidence be-

gan to pile up, came to them again.

Two other men were then brought down near Parks's cell. They were a burglar near rarks's cell. They were a burglar named Yeager and another crook named Heaton. Yeager had no coat or hat. Parks was handcuffed between them. He straight-ened up a little, but his shoulders soon slouched down again.

The deputies hurried the tric out and

donia, will take command of an army corps of the troops in sace put them on a northbound Madison avenue car. Then, as Parks breathed the outcar. Then, as Parks breathed the outside air, he began to mutter. Then he began to curse. The newspapers he reviled especially. Several women left the

The car swung around into Forty-second street. The Belmont Hotel is going up there, but there are to workmen there "I stopped the work there,"

Parks, "and I'll tie 'em all up before I'm through." "Get out here," said one of the deputies

about this routine, but it usually didn't break the stupor into which Parks seemed to have fallen. His bravado was all gone He didn't even mutter. His eyes focussed away off, his lower lip hung away from his upper and his big shoulders slouched.

big shoulders slouched.

After a bath, they gave him a set of prison underclothes and a striped suit with no pockets. Then he fell in at the end of a line of men all clad like himself—the "idle gang." as they call it in Sing Sing, comprising the newcomers, the sickly and the lame. With this gang he got his pail of coffee and his three slices of bread, which he took without surprise and without show of emo-

tion. Then he marched to his cell.
"In here," said a guard with a bunch of And Sam Parks went behind the bars cell where he spent the night is No. 77

and its last famous tenant was Al Adams, the convicted "policy king."

Before most people in New York are awake to-day Sam Parks will have been

examined by Dr. Irvine, the prison physician. Then he will be measured by the Bertillon system and photographed.

After that, Principal Keeper Connaughton will assign him to work, either at the mat

or brush fibre industry.

Parks didn't expect to go to Sing Sing so early, if at all. His removal there yesterday was made possible by the fact that his lawyers didn't get a stay of execution. They did get a formal order from Supreme Court Justice Sewell in Brooklyn for Dis-trict Attorney Jerome to show cause why

a certificate of reasonable doubt should not issue.

That order is returnable to-day, but probably will not be argued to-day because Assistant District Attorney Rand will not have had time to prepare his argument on the order.

Now that Parks is in Sing Sing his counsel can get him out only if Justice Sewell decides after the order to issue a certificate of reasonable doubt.

The hearing of the plea of Parks and of Tim McCarthy, the walking delegate who was indicted with Parks for extor-

tion, for a change of venue in the trials not yet begun, came up in the Supreme Court yesterday. Justice Amend adjourned it to next Monday. As Parks has gone to Sing Sing McCarthy is the only one who is likely to be affected.

Assistant District Attorney Rand get a Assistant District Attorney Rand got a letter yesterday from a woman who signed herself "Mrs. Anderson, Fifty-ninth street, Brooklyn." In part it said:

herself "Mrs. Anderson, Fifty-ninth street, Brooklyn." In part it said:

Permit me to thank you for your able and conscientious conducting of the trial of that man Sam Purks, so-called delegate of several unions. I wonder if for the minute some of those men—they ought to be called brutes—ever realize the extent of such a man's misdeeds when they place him in power over working men and let him dictate when and where they shall work.

Did it occur to you that he has actually been placed in power to starve workmen's families at his will, as well as cause untold misery and suffering to women and children, through his base grasping for money—to get it without working for it? He has at this day thousands of women and children, families of skilled mechanics, literally starving and suffering as much here as though they lived in the coal regions last winter. For over three months some of these workmen have been idle. Some have big families and all must live. How, in God's name, are we to get food when the men are forced into idleness?

My life, as well as my poor little dependent grandchildren, are but few of the many who have suffered through him. If all the workmen's families would come and tell their tales of want and suffering, your heart would bleed with pity, and you would make greater effort to send Sam Parks and more of his stamp to State's prison.

The Housesmuths and Bridgemen's Union will meet to-night in Mannerchor Hall,

The Housesmiths and Bridgemen's U will meet to-night in Männerchor Hall, Fifty-sixth street, near Third avenue, and there is much curiosity on the part of the employers as to whether Parks will again be indorsed. The failure of the men to express themselves will be taken to ment that Park's influence is dead. mean that Parks's influence is dead.

Out on the Atlantic Ocean Sunday, Aug. 30th, Pail River Line Steamer Flymouth. 31.0% See

AFTER THREE EMPLOYERS NOW: Extortion Cases Against Them-They Col-

lected Debts by Strike Threats. Assistant District Attorney Rand, who has charge of the prosecution of extortion charges against walking delegates, an-

nounced yesterday that he would present to the September Grand Jury charges of extortion against three employers of labor. The evidence on which these charges will be founded has come into the District Attorney's office in the course of preparing the cases against Sam Parks and Richard Carvel and Tim McCarthy, the two other delegates under indictment.

Mr. Rand said that the employers he is to accuse were not in any sense behind Parks and his schemes. They were men who, being creditors of other employers of labor, had taken their debts to walking delegates and had collected them by threats of strikes. Mr. Rand refused to divulge anything further, except that the general plan of operation in these cases was like that in the case against Carvel.

Thomas Hopper, son of Isaac A. Hopper, the Tammany leader, was the complainant against Carvel. He said that his father's firm was putting up a German Lutheran church, at Central Park West and Sixtyfifth street, and he was notified by one Manson, a sub-contractor on the work, that his men were going to strike. The Hoppers wanted to know why, and Manson told them to see Carvel. They did, and Carvel said that Manson had a claim of \$1,300 against the Hoppers for work on the Custom House which must be paid or a strike would be called. The Hoppers laid the case before the Board of Walking Delegates and were notified that they must pay the claim. Thereupon, says young Hopper, they compromised with Carvel for \$900.

"There are regular courts for the settlement of debt claims," said Mr. Rand yesterday. "The practice of taking a claim before an unauthorized court, a labor union, and having the union collect it must stop. If it doesn't, think of the limitless possibilities that such procedure opens up.

BIG MONOLITH IS STARTED. Contractors Move One of the Eight Cathe-

dral Columns About 50 Yards. The contractors who have the job of moving the big granite monoliths from 135th street and North River to the Cathedrai of St. John the Divine get the first one started yesterday. The monoliths will be moved with a 22 horse-power engine and wire cable, and the pulleys will be fastened to an ancher set in the ground 200 feet ahead.

The first monclith was loaded on the tenton truck over a week age and this caused the wheels to sink into the ground about five inches. To start the truck off it was necessary to get a lot of three-inch cak planks from New Jersey, which were laid on the ground, making a roadway

when the car turned uptown again at the Grand Central Station. The three prisoners were hustled through the express office entry on the truck was moved about fifty yards. It trance to the station and were pur on the is estimated that it will take three weeks to When they arrived at Casining they met move each of the monoliths. The route will be torough 134th street to Twelfth nobody. The three were led along the railroad tracks to Sing Sing Prison. The first thing that the prison people do is to and along Amsterdam avenue to the Catake Clerk Westlake very long in Park's case after his name had been told.

Then Parks was taken down to the "state" the monoliths down Amsterdam avenue from shop," where he went through the tain 128th to 119th street, where there is the

STATE CONVENTION OF EIGHT.

Populists of Iowa Meet and Five of Them Get on the Ticket.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 27.—The Populist State Convention to-day attracted but eight delegates. There were some speeches made to empty benches. The ticket: For Governor, L. H. Weller, Nashua; Lieutenant-Governor, S. M. Harvey, Des Moines; Judge of the Supreme Court, J. A. Lowenberg, Ottumwa; Railway Commissioner, Walter McCullagh, Davis City; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Milo Bunce, Stuart.

MR. HILL IS IN TOWN.

View of a Great Statesman Caught in Cit; Hall Park.

Crossing City Hall Park yesterday after noon was a man in a close-fitting frock coat, buttoned so tight that one could tell at a glance that he didn't have a gun in his hip pocket. His straw hat was pulled down in front against the surprise of a gust of wind. As he made his way toward the Bridge, he paid little attention to the bulletin boards which recorded the progress

of the yacht race.

An Italian with a pushcart moved through the crowd, crying "Peanuts! peanuts!"

The man in the frock coat cast one frowning look that way, then went on. His name was David Bennett Hill.

THE STROULS ROBBED

Several Hundred Dollars in Jewelry Taker

From Their Home in Yonkers. YONKERS, N. Y., Aug. 27.-Mr. and Mrs H. C. Stroul of 549 Van Cortlandt Park avenue, this city, went into the garden to observe the condition of some flowerbeds this afternoon, intending to stay but a few minutes. They left the front door

In a short time they entered by a rear door. Mrs. Stroul missed her engagement ring, and in searching for it found that several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry, including a number of family keepsakes, had been stolen. There is no trace of the thispass.

\$8.00 to Buffalo and Return. Lehigh Valley R. R., Aug. 30-81; return Sept. 5, any train. Superior equipment. 355-1234 Broadway.—Adv

MAYOR MUST FORGET ODELL

NOTICE TO LOW AND ALL OTHERS BY THE CITIZENS' UNION.

The Organization Will Indorse No Candidate Who Won't Be Truly Non-Partisan, Giving a Piedge to That Beforehand -It's a Sort of Sop to John Sheehan.

Notice was given to Mayor Low by an open proclamation from the Citizens' Union last night that neither he nor any other candidate for city, county or borough office can go on the ticket of that organization unless each has made a public declaration in a speech or in writing over his signature that he will not, directly or indirectly, further the interests of any political party in the State and national elec-

tion of 1904. The leaders of the Citizens' Union were brought to this act by the fear that Mayor Low's chance of resection has been forfeited by his dealings with Gov. Odell and the widely entertained opinion that in the event of his election his influence would be thrown for the Republican State and national tickets next year.

assume that it is possible for a Mayor to separate his identity as Mayor and as individual, for it draws no such distinction. Friends of Mayor Low said last night that he would be satisfied with the conditions imposed, believing that such public affirmation of neutrality would help materially to offset the Tammany argument, which has already won some Democratic former friends of fusion, who see a larger importance in the elections of 1904.

The statement of the Union does not

It is remembered that Mayor Low presided at a meeting in this city last fall where Gov. Odell spoke, and that he was an active Republican in that State campaign. It is recalled, too, that Comptroller Grout, another fusion nominee, officiated in the same way at a Coler meeting and that Borough President Cantor showed his

party colors in the campaign. Before the Citizens' Union proclamation came out, President M. Linn Bruce of the Republican County Committee declared that his organization would not send a committee to ask permission of the Mayor to present his name at the fusion conference next Tuesday night.

Mr. Bruce thought the idea not a good one, as it was likely to obscure the fusion idea and leave in the public mind the impres-sion that the initiative for the Mayor's re-nomination came from the Republicans. Secretary Fulton of the Citizens' Union complained that a party color had been given to the preliminaries at this early date by expressions of opinion by Re-publicans like Chairman George W. Dunn of the Republican State Committee, who said that Mayor Low was the keystone of the fusion arch and must be renom-

inated He didn't complain of Gov. Odell's expression to the same effect a while ago. Mr. Fulton thought it was wrong for Col. Dunn to come down from Binghamton and have an idea of what ought to be done in New York.

Later in the day Mr. Fulton gave cut this official statement:

The Citizens' Union is a union of men of New York city of all parties and of no party, to secure for the city the best possible local government. Its very essence is non-partisanship in municipal affairs and it does not be to the control of success it has been controlled in the control of success it has been controlled in the controll intend that whatever of success it has achieved, or of influence it has obtained, shall be used by any party to bolster up or further political aims in State or nation.

steepest grade. There are eight of the moneliths and each weighs ninety tons.

VARDAMAN TO BE GOVERYOR.

Wins the Mississippi Primary Nomination Gver Critz.

New Orleans, Aug. 27.—Returns from about one-third of the precincts in Mississippi indicate the success of Vardamen for Governor in the Democratic primary held to-day in that State. These precincts give Vardaman 15.528 votes and Critz 16.282. Critz gained over his first primary 15.333 and Vardaman 12,977.

The result was due to the vote cest for Noel, the other conservative Democratic candidate for Governor, splitting about even between Critz and Vardaman. It was expected that it would go almost overwhelmingly for Critz. The greatest change was in the white counties, where Vardaman gained many votes over the first primary.

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 27.—Early reports are faverable to the selection of Vardaman for Governor in to-day's Democratic State primary. Every county reporting up to 9 o'cleck showed gains for Vardaman and Icsses for Critz. Vardaman carries the city of Jackson by 94 majority, and Hinds county by 300. Half the town is crowded about the telegraph offices to-night, whooping and yelling at every bulletin.

STATE CONVENTION OF EIGHT.

any of these organizations to dictate nominations for the coming election. The success of the present administration, the great advance in the government of the city by the abolition of much that is evil and in providing positive benefit for the people in larger measure than has been done by any city government hitherto, justifies the confidence which we ask of the people, in our advocacy and selection of "candidates whose careers and records are such as to justify public confidence in their assurance that if elected they will not use their offices or permit them to be used for the benefit of any political organization."

John C. Sheehan and others of the so-

John C. Sheehan and others of the so-called Independent Democrats have been saying that a Democrat ought to head the fusion ticket, that Tammany might be disarmed of the argument that a Republican victory in Democratic Greater New York this year would be prejudicial to Democratic Greater new York this year would be prejudicial to Democratic Greater new York this year would be prejudicial to Democratic Greater new York this year would be prejudicial to Democratic Greater new York this year would be prejudicial to Democratic Greater new York this year. success in State and nation in 1904. One purpose of the Union's statement is to meet the contention of Mr. Sheehan and his fellows by pledging the whole fusion ticket

The Mayor will be home on Monday. The fusion conferees are to meet on Tues-day night. The Citizens' Union convention will take place on Sept. 22. The Tammany convention will be held on Oct. 1.

"If this is the temper of the Citizens' Union," said a Republican leader last night, "then it may become necessary to ask Gov. Odell not to come down to New York to run the municipal campaign." the municipal campaign."

HASN'T BOUGHT OUT TILFORD. An Early Ambition Which Sir Tho Lipton Has Not Gratified

Sir Thomas Lipton has not bought Park & Tilford's. When the cuphunter was young he was a salesman for that grocery house, and since he came to his wealth and title the baronet has confided to friends that one of his youthful ambitions was to be the head of that house During his present visit to America Si

Thomas has talked frequently with Frank H. Tilford, himself an ardent yachtsman, and for three days a well-defined report has been in circulation in financial houses that Sir Thomas was negotiating for the Park & Tilford business. Mr. Tilford heard the rumor, too. Last night at the Waldorf he said:

"There is not a word of truth in the re port. The Park & Tilford business is not for sale and is not being negotiated for."

LIPTON NOT TO TRY AGAIN. I Think I've Done Enough," Said He

Yesterday. Sir Thomas Lipton has had a clear glimpse of his finish.

He said so to Sir Horace Tozer and a Sun reporter yesterday afternoon, as the steam yacht Erin was following the belated Shamrock down her beat to windward.

"They've got the best boat," he said, pointing out over the water at the Reliance. That 2,000 square feet of extra sail is too strong for us. Every inch we go is an inch toward certain defeat.

"But, Sir Horace, what can a man do? What can I do?

"I can't design a boat myself. I can't sail her, once she is affoat. I've done everything else that any man in all this world can do-everything. And I think I've done enough."

Ever since the Shamrock made a bad showing on the occasion of the first fluke, a week ago yesterday, Sir Thomas has been advised by his British friends in this country to quit.

One man who has the full confidence of he Irish Baronet said after that fluke: "I, for one, shall not advise him to come over and be licked again. So far, what he has done has been done with an earnest conviction that he could win the Cup.

"But, licked as he will be this time, if he comes back again he will drop from the high position he now holds to the ridiculous."

WON'T PROMISE TO OBEY.

So Miss Clement Has Decided Not to Be Wedded in the Episcopal Church.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 27,-Because she will not promise to obey the man to whom she is to be married next month, Miss Ethel C. Clement, daughter of P. W. Clement, the railroad magnate and hotel man of Rutland, will not have an Episcopa! clergyman officiate at the ceremony, but will be married by a Congregational minister. Miss Clement is to be the bride of William H. Field, formerly a Boston newspaper man, but now of a New York magazine, and the ceremony will occur on Sept. 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clement, in

Rutland. Miss Clement asked her pastor, the Rev. Joseph Reynolds of Trinity Church, to have the words "and obey" omitted from the ceremony. He said he had no authority to do so. Miss Clement then went to Bishop Hall, but he also refused. Miss Clement would not give in, however, and the Rev. Dr. George W. Phillips of the Congregational Church of Rutland will perform the

BANK PRESIDENT AT 27. Carl R. Schultz the Youngest Holder of

Such an Office in the City. Carl Rudolph Schultz, who was elected president of the Equitable National Bank at 805 Broadway, on Wednesday, is the youngest bank president in the city and one of the youngest in the country. Mr. Schultz is only 27 years old. According to one bank officer the head of one

institution is but 23 years old. Mr. Schultz has been in the mineral wate business which his father founded and which has a big plant on First avenue in this city.

For some time he has been a director of the bank of which he is now the head. His election as president was to fill the vacancy caused by the recent resignation of James M. Bell. The new president lives at Murray Hill, in Union county, N. J.

SAVED ON THE SCAFFOLD. Respite From the Governor Arrived After

the Black Cap Was Drawn. Austin, Tex., Aug. 27.—The life of Sam Stiles, a negro preacher, who was to have to windward. Capt. Barr objected to this been hanged at Cuero yesterday for the murder of another negro, was saved by Gov. Lanhara by less than two minutes Stiles was on the scaffold, the black cap had been drawn over his head and the Sheriff was about to pull the trap lever when a telegraph messenger arrived with a telegram from the Governor respiting the

convicted man. Stiles swooned when informed that he had been respited. It is said that a woman

has confessed to the murder. IDE TO SUCCEED WRIGHT.

ernor of the Philippines. OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 27.-It was an nounced here authoritatively to-night, that Judge Henry C. Ide of Vermont, will be appointed by the President to the Vice-Governorship of the Philippines, to take the place which will be left vacant by the appointment of Gen. Luke Wright, as Governor. Judge Ide has been a member of the Philippine Commission for some time.

THE NEWEST SKYSCRAPER.

To Be Built in Wall Street, and Nearly Twice as Tall in the Bear as in Front.

A fourteen-story office building is to be erected at 60-62 Wall street and 63-67 Pine street, at a cost of \$1,250,000, for the Sixty Wall Street Corporation, of which Clarence Cary is president. The front of the building will be fourteen stories high. On Pine street it will be a twenty-six story building. It will be built of brick, with façades of terra cotta, granite and limestone. The plans were filed yesterday.

BRIDGE WRECKER CONFESSES. Sam Cohen Thinks It His Mission to the Railroads.

MISSOULA, Mon., Aug. 27.-Sam Cohen, who says he is from Spokane, confessed to-day that he blew up the Northern Pacific arrested yesterday near Arlee he was trying to buy dynamite to blow up the Moran trestle near Missoula. Cohen says it is his mission on earth to correct certain evils and destroy rail-

roads, which he says are trusts. \$800,000 Hotel on Sturtevant House Site.

is to replace the old Sturtevant House, at the southeast corner of Broadway and Twenty-ninth street, have been filed with the Building Bureau by Clinton & Russell, architects for the United States Realty and Construction Company. The building is to cost \$800,000. It will be 105.8% feet front and 176.2% feet deep, with façades of brick, granite and limestone.

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MUST

Shamrock Far Astern in Another Fluke.

WAS ONLY A RACE AGAINST TIME

Reliance Lost to the Clock, Not to Her Rival.

Capt. Barr Outmanguvres the British Skipper and Leaves Him 1 Minute 1 Second Behind at the Post-Gains Twelve Minutes in Beating to the Outer Mark-Defender Six and a Half Minutes Too Late Across the Finish Line-A Picture in White and Gray

Again the elusive Reliance demonstrated her superiority over Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock III. in light breezes and through untroubled seas. It was not a race to a finish, but it was a splendid trial of the mild-

weather abilities of the rival yachts. The only real contest was that of the Yankee clipper against the time limit of 51/2 hours. She lost by 6 minutes and 30 sec-

Just before she crossed the finish line an enthusiast aboard a big sidewheeler shouted, "Turn back the clock!" and a multitude of folks who heard him gave vent to cheers of approval, for the defeat of the plucky Baronet's yacht was so decisive that it seemed a pity that it was not officially a victory. But for the impeding tide the Reliance would have won, possibly with several minutes to spare.

BEATEN BOTH WAYS.

In the beat to the fifteen-mile mark southeast of Sandy H it lightship, in a breeze varying, according to the Sandy Hook anemometer, from 5 to 10 miles, Shamrock III. was beaten by 12 minutes and 31 seconds. In the run home, under pyramids of sail and against a strong outflowing tide, the Reliance gained minutes on her comparatively sluggish rival.

It was estimated that Shamrock was more than a mile and a half astern of the Yankee, a blurred vision of a yacht in the hazy air.

sullen greeting to the racers as they stood out toward the red lightship. Their creamy sails were projected in cameo fashion against the blackboard of the sky. The white-hulled revenue cutters led the excursion fleet, somewhat depleted since the previous race, out to the scene of conflict, turning from their ram-like bows wave wings tipped with feathers of spray. The feam of the fleet, contrasted with the dul-

A frowning horizon and a murky sea gave

ness alow and aloft, seemed preternaturally A burst of sunshine, merely momentary, gave deceitful promise of a clearing sky. Thereafter it was a symphony in gray affoat. No rift appeared in the leaden

planket, pinned across the bowl of blue. A LAZY BREEZE. What wind there was drifted lazily in

from the southeast, or thereabouts. Opinion as to its force was divided; the consensus was that it didn't exceed six miles. The regatta committee aboard the tug Navigator set three bits of bunting flying perpendicularly from a stay, telling those who had the flag code before them that the course would be southeast, or into the

wind, and the tug Scully romped away to log it. In the manœuvring after the booming of the warning gun the apparent object of the skipper of the Shamrock was to start astern of the Yankee boat, and, possibly, arrangement, preferring, doubtless, to have the boat receiving allowance from him. to be on something like even terms in the

beginning of the race. The result of the jockeying was that at the starting gun the yachts were in front, or to the southeast of the line, drawn between the Navigator and the lightship. They had two minutes in which to cross the line, and they consumed every second of the time.

The Reliance was abeam and to wind-

ward of the Briton when the handicap gun

sounded. She crossed Shamrock's bows,

and, rounding under the stern of the lightship, came up on the port tack and glided across the line with a handicap of 41 seconds. Capt. Wringe was not only thwarted in his design, but also lost to his nimbler rival I minute and I second of the challenger's time allowance of 1 minute and 57 seconds. He crossed the line at 11:03:42.

Officially, both yachts were timed as starting at 11:02.

WRINGE OUTMANGUVRED The honors of the start were with Capt. Barr. Admirers of the English skipper groaned when they noted that he had by his bungling start reduced his time

allowance to 56 seconds. After the start neither yacht was favored above the other appreciably by luck. They lounged, gently slanting, through the placid sea, Reliance gradually getting further out on her rival's weather and outfooting her slowly but handsomely. They held the port tack several minutes, and then, shifting to starboard, headed off shore. It was a short board, and Shamrock then went about on the port, followed in half a minute by the Reliance. They held this inshore leg more than an hour.

The Reliance then whirled about on the starboard, crossing Shamrock's bows more than a mile to windward. Four minutes later the Briton tacked. After a series of bridge at Livingston last month. When short tacks by both ships, in which Reliance increased her advantage, the wraithlike Yankee stood for the weather marks on the starboard tack

It was thought at first by some of the sharps that she would have to make a short hitch to fetch, but she kept on her course, and, by pinching and luffing a bit, she rounded at 1:55:15, dropping her spinnaker boom to port, and started homeward, bucking the ebbing tide, carrying balloon jib

topsail and spinnaker. MET THE ON-COMING SHAMROCK.

The lonesome Briton on the starboard tack passed under the stern of the lofty defender just after noon, taking the zephyr

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